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New Brunswick Negotiates Tax Agreement With Ottawa

Conditional Acceptance Arms Limitation By U.S. Will Go Into Effect November 1, Says New Brunswick Premier

Police Patrols Across Canada Increased For Halloween Celebration

Many police departments across Canada will increase their street patrols tonight in the hope of averting damage by ever-exuberant Halloween pranksters and officials expressed the hope celebrants would observe a "safe and sane" witch's feast.

Post-war shortages were expected to cut down some of the time-honored aspects of the night. There's little soap to spare for spreading on windows, and short supply of Canada in some areas will leave householders less to "shell out" to neighborhood youngsters. Even the grungy masks affected by the younger generation are missing from some stores this year.

In many cities—in an effort to give practical jokers another outlet for their high spirits—tickets to children's parties will be "shelled out" instead of apples and candy. This is fine for the householders but in at least one city—Ottawa—the kids raised a howl.

S'ide Lineman In Serious Condition

Mr. Ernest Arsenault, lineman for the Summerside Electric Light Dept., is a patient in the Prince County Hospital in a very serious condition as a result of coming in contact with a high tension wire while working on the line near St. Eleazar's yesterday morning.

The accident occurred about 10:30 A.M. while Mr. Arsenault was engaged in repair work on the line. He was near the top of the pole at the time and while reaching through the wires his arm came in contact with the highly charged line. His fellow workers, noticing his predicament, immediately phoned the plant in Summerside to cut the power and Mr. Arsenault was rushed to the Prince County Hospital.

Late last night he was reported in a very critical condition. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Arsenault of Ottawa street. He is a married man with one son, age thirteen months.—S.

Violation And Evasion Must Be Safeguarded

NEW YORK, Oct. 30.—(CP)—Warren W. Austin, chief United States delegate, tonight told the United Nations General Assembly his country accepted Russia's arms limitation proposals but only under conditions that would prevent a repetition of the last experiment in disarmament.

The former United States Senator from Vermont said that the American people wanted disarmament and would cooperate fully with the United States in "advocating effective safeguards by way of inspections and other means to protect complying states against the hazards of violation and evasion."

"After the last war we made the mistake of disarming unilaterally. We shall not repeat that mistake," he said.

The United States delegate interpreted a statement of Foreign Minister W. M. Molotov, in his disarmament address Tuesday, as indicating a readiness on Russia's part to reveal the disposition and strength of its armed forces outside Russia.

In the light of that statement, Mr. Austin said, the United States was willing to go the limit in providing information and would enlarge the proposal to cover forces mobilized at home.

"The United States has nothing to hide with regard to our armed forces at home or abroad," Mr. Austin dismissed with virtually biting attacks on Anglo-American propaganda in Mr. Molotov's speech to the assembly, and expressed a hope that the allies who fought successfully in the war would continue "side by side" in the fight for peace, without recriminations.

The Russian stand against sharing information or submitting to inspections of what is happening within Soviet borders has been the chief reason for the stalemate in proposals for control of atomic energy. Unless there were a complete change of policy in this respect the United States' condition for an arms limitation program would not be met by Russia.

However the steering committee of the General Assembly will meet tomorrow to consider whether or not Mr. Molotov's resolution on disarmament should be placed immediately on the assembly agenda.

It was the subject of comment of most speakers in today's presentation of national views by delegation leaders, and will continue to dominate these addresses until they are completed.

U. S. Government To Reopen Contract With United Mine Workers

(By The Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Oct. 30.—The Government prepared tonight to reopen its working contract with the United Mine Workers, there by opening the door to what could be substantial new gains for John L. Lewis and his 400,000 soft coal diggers.

Despite an industry warning that fresh concessions to Mr. Lewis would prolong government control of the mines, a high official told a reporter that the administration is willing to talk wages and other working terms when U.M.W. representatives meet Friday with the coal mines administration.

Mr. Lewis had demanded reopening of the contract under implied threat of a pre-election strike. Interior Secretary Krug and Coal Mines Administrator N. H. Collison have taken the position that the existing contract must stand for the duration of government operation, but other officials were reported bent on getting Mr. Krug and Mr. Collison to change their minds.

With present bituminous coal supplies short, officials were striving to avoid a walkout that would be forced to close for the winter.

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Potato Prices For Processing Effective Nov. 4

The floor prices on potatoes to be purchased by the Agriculture Price Support Board for processing purposes go into effect Monday, Nov. 4, according to word received here yesterday by Col. G. E. Full. As stated previously, the potatoes are being resold to starch factories as part of a federal policy to support the market in the surplus-producing provinces of Prince Edward Island and New Brunswick.

In this Province the two factories in operation, at Murray Harbor and Hunter River, can process 125 cars (about 100,000 bushels) of potatoes between now and early December, when they will be forced to close for the winter.

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Informed sources indicated the negotiations which Premier McNair of New Brunswick had been conducting here with Federal officials since last week were successfully concluded yesterday and that only the details of the arrangement remain to be worked out. It is expected this will be done by mail.

Mr. McNair, who was accompanied by Provincial Treasurer J. H. Doane, left Ottawa with Mr. Doane for Fredericton yesterday.

FREDERICTON, Oct. 30.—(CP)—When concluded, a new taxation agreement between the Dominion and New Brunswick Governments will operate from this Friday, Nov. 1, Premier J. B. McNair said tonight. The present wartime financial agreement expires tomorrow.

Premier McNair said he planned to issue a statement on the matter tomorrow.

It was also reported that satisfactory progress was being made in negotiations for new financial agreements with Manitoba and Saskatchewan, whose representatives also have been conferring with Federal authorities over the last week.

The Dominion-Provincial talks started from the offer made in the Federal budget last June to negotiate separate agreements with individual provinces. This offer followed the breakdown of the main Dominion-Provincial conference, at which the Federal Government

Average Sale Set At \$398

OTTAWA, Oct. 30.—(CP)—Purchasers during the first 12 days of the Canadian Savings Bond week total \$217,263,500, with an average individual purchase of \$398 compared to \$374 at the same point in the 24th victory loan drive, Bank of Canada officials said tonight.

Average general sales purchase is \$710, the average payroll savings purchase \$177.

The Royal Canadian Navy total has climbed to \$762,000—east coast command \$422,000; west coast command \$192,450; headquarters \$147,550.

In Montreal, employees of Canadian Ltd., a Crown Aircraft Company, estimated its total purchases will exceed \$1,500,000.

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Detectives brought into magistrate's court a man and woman charged with robbing the fashionable Kensington flat of Princess Hilda, 20-year-old fourth child of Charlotte, Duchess of Luxembourg, and Prince Rupprecht of Bavaria. The Princess is a descendant of King George II.

The accused pair, Robert McPherson, 32, allegedly a deserter from the Scots Guards, and Patricia Alice McPherson, 25, were bound over without bail until Nov. 6.

The contents of written statements which they made were not disclosed, but a Scotland Yard inspector told Magistrate E. R. Guest that there were "quite a number of other matters which require considerable investigation."

The Inspector said the accused were "carrying a considerable sum" of money when arrested at Woking, a suburb of southwest London which had been suspected of a centre of thefts, and that the two admitted the money was from the sale of the jewelry.

The robbery of the Princess Hilda's flat was the second in two week-old robberies announced today. The other victim was Spiro K. Constantini, commercial councillor of the Greek Embassy, who lost £1,500 worth of furs, jewelry and £300 in wines and whisky.

Sir Harold Cott, Metropolitan Police Commissioner, warned "robbers and shopkeepers to doublecheck their vaults; premises and predicted "an upward trend" of crime during the long foggy nights now closing on the country.

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Forecast, valid until Thursday midnight:

Prince Edward Island: Continuous snow changing to rain tonight and ending in the morning. Overcast in the afternoon, clearing in the evening. Light winds increasing by noon to south 25 m.p.h. High Thursday at Charlottetown 60. Rain ending. Clearing in the evening. (Canadian Press)

TORONTO, Oct. 30.—Minimum and maximum temperatures:

St. John	36	46
Moncton	37	45
Halifax	42	46
Charlottetown	38	41
Sydney	38	58
Vancouver	28	46
Edmonton	24	44
Regina	21	46
Yarmouth	31	55

High tide this afternoon at 3:17 and tonight at 2:17.

Sun sets this afternoon at 4:50 and rises tomorrow morning at 6:38.

First quarter moon November 1, 11:40 P. M.

Summerside tide eighteen minutes later than Charlottetown.

AIR SCHEDULE

Charlottetown—Moncton—Leave Charlottetown 8 A. M., 11:20 A. M., 6:15 P. M.

Arrive Charlottetown 6:55 A. M., 1:30 P. M., 5:55 P. M.

Charlottetown—Halifax—Leave Charlottetown 1:45 P. M. arrive Charlottetown 4:55 P. M.

Charlottetown—New Glasgow—Leave Charlottetown 7 A. M., 1:4 P. M. Arrive Charlottetown 11:11 A. M., 5:15 P. M.

CAR FERRY

"PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND" Leave Borden at 9:05 A. M., 1 P. M. and 4:30 P. M.

Leave Tormentine 10:30 A. M. 3 P. M., 7:30 P. M.

Extra trips are made between on which automobiles are carried.

SUNDAY SERVICE

From Borden, 1 P. M., 6:45 P. M. From Tormentine 3 P. M., 8 P. M.

WOOD ISLANDS—CARIBOU

Leave Wood Islands, daily 8 A. M., 11 A. M., 1 P. M., 3 P. M. and Caribou at same hours.